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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 25, 1880.

Reader, if you want to know what is going on in the business world, just read our advertising columns, the Special Notices in particular.

MAXIMS FOR THE DAY.

No man worth the office of President should be willing to hold it if he cannot be elected by the people.

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

I would rather have the endorsement of a quarter of a million of the American people than the endorsement of a million of the European people.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE FOR 1880.

- W. E. WALLACE, Secretary. W. H. WALKER, Treasurer. J. H. WALKER, Chairman.

NEW YORK HAS A MILLION DOLLAR FIRE LAST FRIDAY NIGHT.

It broke out at 354 Broadway, and resulted in the death of several firemen.

GEN. GARFIELD SAYS THE ACTION OF THE HARRISBURG CONVENTION "WINDS UP GRANT."

That is a comfortable way of looking at it—especially for a Sherman man.

JUDGE BLACK DECLARES THAT WITH AN HONEST CONGRESS IN PHILADELPHIA, THE DEMOCRATS CAN CARRY PENNSYLVANIA.

But an honest Congress in Philadelphia is one of the bright illusions of hope.

CONVENTION DAY.—THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MET AT WASHINGTON MONDAY LAST, AND FIXED UPON CINCINNATI AS THE PLACE, AND TUESDAY, JUNE 22d, AS THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE NEXT NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

DEAD.—HON. JOSEPH H. WARREN DIED AT LEWISTOWN ON THE 20th INST.

He went clear through the war, and afterwards served a term as State Senator. He was a noble fellow, and his true friends will grieve over his premature demise.

QUEER AFFECTION.—ILLINOIS RADICALS SAY THEY ARE FOR GRANT, BECAUSE ILLINOIS IS GRANT'S HOME.

And yet Grant loves that home so little that after an absence of about a dozen years he took it in less than three weeks. There seems to be a lack of reciprocity in this affection.

DEAR HIM.—THE CINCINNATI DIVISY SAYS: "DURING THE YEAR 1879, MR. J. H. HAWKSWORTH, ENGINEER ON THE DENVER & FORT DODGE ROAD, RAN 292 OF THE 302 DAYS OF THE YEAR, MAKING AN AVERAGE OF 175 MILES A DAY, OR 52,350 MILES DURING THE YEAR."

ANSWERED.—WE ARE FREQUENTLY INTERROGATED IN THIS WAY: "CAN YOU TELL ME WHEN OCEOLA WAS MADE A BOROUGH, OR DO YOU KNOW WHEN GRAHAM TOWNSHIP WAS ORGANIZED, AND THE TERRITORY OUT OF WHICH IT WAS FORMED?"

LAWYERS, PREACHERS AND ALL OTHERS SEEKING THIS KIND OF INFORMATION CAN BE ACCOMMODATED BY PERUSING THE REPUBLICAN.

THE RADICAL NUMBER.—AN EXCHANGE SAYS THAT HON. HENRY GRANT THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, HAS YET TO MAKE HIS REPUTATION AS A JUDGE.

Those appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Woodward, has never been able to take his seat on the bench, owing to illness which has long confined him to his home.

LOXAL TRACKS.—THE RADICALS OF MAINE HAVE BECOME SO SENSITIVE ABOUT THE CONTRADICTORY OPINIONS OF THEIR SUPREME COURT IN REGARD TO THE DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICERS THAT THEIR LEGISLATURE THE OTHER DAY REFINED TO PRINT THE DECISIONS OF THE COURT REFERRED IN 1877 IN THE SAME VOLUME WITH THE RECENT DECISIONS.

Eugene Hale made a speech of an hour against the proposition and it was finally defeated by a strict party vote. Hale was defeated by a strict party vote.

THE OLDEST GORE.—WE LEARN FROM THE GETTSBURG COMPILER THAT HON. DANIEL SHEFFER DIED AT YORK SPRINGS, IN ADAMS COUNTY, A FEW DAYS AGO, AGED 97 YEARS.

According to Lammann's biographical sketches of Congressmen, he took his seat in Congress in 1837, forty-three years ago, and was the oldest ex-Congressman.

A Washington letter-writer, in comparing the annual expenses, says: "As the Presidential campaign approaches inquiry is being made concerning the record of the Democratic party in Congress, since it acquired a majority in the House of Representatives in 1875, and especially upon the question of the expenditure of public money since that date, as compared with previous years of Republican rule."

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